

**Pre-Veterinary Club Mentorship at the
University of Hawai`i at Manoa:
*Veterinary/Animal Opportunities (Oahu)***

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1. Animal Veterinary Services (AVS) Program

- **Location:** University of Hawai`i at Manoa Biomedical Building and/or John A. Burns School of Medicine (JABSOM)
- **Description:** For students who are interested in gaining lab animal husbandry experience and research related connections, students are highly encouraged to volunteer with the AVS staff and animals. To volunteer for the AVS, please contact Dr. Michael Wong, DVM below and proceed with fulfilling the requirements requested for volunteering.
- **Contact:** Dr. Michael Wong, DVM - wongmich@hawaii.edu

2. Hawaii Cat Foundation

- **Location:** 47-024 Okana Place, Kaneohe, HI 96744
- **Description:** If you love cats, then this may be the opportunity for YOU! Help vet assist, clean, feed, and socialize cats in the Hawaii Cat Foundation's sanctuary in Kaneohe. The HCF is always looking for enthusiastic volunteers to help improve the well-being of all cats.
- **Contact:** Christin Matsushige - hawaiicatfoundation@yahoo.com or (808) 688-8822

3. Hawaiian Humane Society

- **Location:** 2700 Waialae Avenue, Honolulu, Hawaii 96826
- **Description:** Gain some animal experience at an animal shelter! Looking for volunteers that can help out in diverse areas (i.e. Animal Care Support, Animal Adoptions, Outreach). To learn more about applying to volunteer opportunities, please refer to the Volunteer section of the HHS:
<http://www.hawaiianhumane.org/Volunteer.html>.
- **Contact:** hhs@hawaiianhumane.org

4. Honolulu Zoo

- **Location:** 151 Kapahulu Ave, Honolulu, Hawai'i 96815
- **Description:** Gain some exposure to exotic/wildlife animals at a zoo. Looking for volunteers to help out in diverse sections of the zoo (i.e. vet clinic, reptile section, keiki zoo). For more information, please refer to the zoo's website:
<http://www.honolulu zoo.org/volunteer.html>.
- **Contact:** Barbara Thacker (Volunteer Coordinator) - bthacker@honzoosoc.org

5. Equine 808

- **Location:** Kunia Loa Ridge Farms, P.O. Box 2817 Ewa Beach, HI 96706
- **Description:** Volunteer to rehabilitate abused, neglected and unwanted horses at the Equine 808 Sanctuary! Help with caring, grooming, and exercising of the horses.
- **Contact:** Hawaii_Horses@equine808.com

6. Oahu SPCA

- **Location:** 91-153 Hanua St, Kapolei, HI 96707
- **Description:** Become a Member of the Oahu Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals. Help OSPCA promote care and maintenance to welfare of companion animals in Kapolei! For more information about volunteering, please refer to their website: <http://oahuspca.com/volunteer/>. Also, please refer to their VolunteerSpot page to register as a volunteer: <http://www.volunteerspot.com/login/entry/455085272039>.
- **Contact:** <http://oahuspca.com/contact/>

7. Paws and Recreation

- **Location:** PO Box 894031, Mililani, HI 96789
- **Description:** A pet care business that addresses the needs of clients fur family in the comforts of their home by providing all basic animal care while on vacation, traveling for business, or working. These services can include dog walking, pet sitting, medications and more! Paws and Recreation is looking for individuals who are interested in pet care and are able to work part-time. For more information, please refer to their website: <http://pawsandrecreation.wix.com/pawsandrecreation>.
- **Contact:** Tanya Nichols - pawsandrecreation@gmail.com, (808) 202-0718

8. Sea Life Park Volunteer Program

- **Location:** 41-202 Kalaniana'ole Highway #7, Waimanalo, HI 96795 USA
- **Description:** For those who are interested in gaining marine animal experience, volunteering at the Sea Life Park is a great opportunity to learn more about marine life, conservation, and preservation. For more information about volunteering for the Sea Life Park, please go to this website: <http://www.sealifeparkhawaii.com/volunteer-programs>.
- **Contact:** Volunteer Coordinator - 808-259-2512